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SOURCE:

1. The Polish medical schools include four courses of studies: Medicine (general course), Pediatrics, Sanitary Hygiene, and Military Medicine.
2. The curriculum of the general medical course comprises the following subjects:

a. First year Number of hours

Medical physics	105
Anatomy	300
General chemistry	210
Histology and embryology	75
Biology and parasitology	165
Military medicine	105
Physical culture	60
Marxism - Leninism	90
Languages (Russian, English, French or German)	120

b. Second year

Military medicine	150
Anatomy	90
Histology and embryology	75
Physiological chemistry	270
Physiology	210
Microbiology	75
Marxism - Leninism	60
Languages	120
Physical culture	60

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c. Third year Number of hours

Military medicine	60
Microbiology	135
Pathology	150
Pharmacology	150
Internal diseases	240
Surgery	210
Pathologic anatomy	240
Political economy	60
Health protection	15

d. Fourth year

Health protection	25
Hygiene	135
Surgery	225
Internal diseases	225
Children's diseases	120
Skin and venereal diseases	105
Radiotherapy	60
Nervous diseases	105
Gynecology	180
Military medicine	90
Ear, nose and throat	90

e. Fifth year

Gynecology	75
Surgery	240
Internal diseases	240
Military medicine	105
Contagious diseases	120
Children's diseases	120
Psychiatry	90
Eye diseases	90
Forensic medicine	90
Stomatology	30
Dissection	30

3. The curriculum of the pediatrics course is similar to that of the general course up to the fourth year. The curriculum of the fourth and fifth years is as follows:

a. Fourth year

Health protection	15
Hygiene	135
Surgery	120
Internal diseases	165
Children's diseases	345
Skin and venereal diseases	90
Radiotherapy	60
Gynecology	165
Military medicine	90
Ear, nose and throat	90
Nervous diseases	90

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<u>b. Fifth year</u>	<u>Number of hours</u>
Gynecology	60
Surgery	150
Internal diseases	150
Military medicine	105
Contagious diseases	120
Children's diseases	450
Psychiatry	60
Eye diseases	60
Forensic medicine	60
Stomatology	30
Dissection	30
Surgery and orthopedy	150
School hygiene	30

4. The sanitary hygiene course also has the same curriculum as the general medical course up to the fourth year. The curriculum of the fourth and fifth years is as follows:

<u>a. Fourth year</u>	<u>Number of hours</u>
Health protection	30
Hygiene	30
Surgery	120
Internal diseases	195
Children's diseases	90
Skin and venereal diseases	90
Radiotherapy	60
Gynecology	120
Military medicine	90
Ear, nose and throat	90
Nervous diseases	90
School hygiene	135
Food hygiene	135

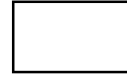
<u>b. Fifth year</u>	
Gynecology	60
Surgery	120
Internal diseases	120
Military medicine	105
Contagious diseases	180
Children's diseases	60
Psychiatry	60
Eye diseases	60
Forensic medicine	90
Dissection	30
School hygiene	30
Hygiene in populated areas	45
Work hygiene	120
Epidemiology	150

5. The military medical course has approximately the same curriculum as the general medical course, except that more hours are devoted to surgery and first aid. A great deal of time is also given to physical culture. Students in this department must pass a very thorough loyalty test.

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6. Various restrictions apply to medical schools only. A student is allowed to double the first year only by special permission from the Ministry of Health. A student is not allowed to double any of the other years. There are no final examinations. Each subject is examined at the end of the year during which it was studied. The student who passes all the examinations successfully receives the title of doctor.

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